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SBS 6

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SBS 6 is a Dutch commercial TV channel owned by SBS Broadcasting B.V., formerly a part of SBS Broadcasting Group and now owned by Talpa Holding. Other channels of the group in the Netherlands are NET 5, Veronica and SBS 9.

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History [edit]

SBS stands for Scandinavian Broadcasting System. When the SBS Broadcasting Group started expanding outside of Scandinavia in 1995, one of the first countries where they set up a channel was the Netherlands with SBS 6. SBS 6 was the third Dutch commercial TV station after RTL 4 and RTL 5. SBS 6 launched on 28 August 1995.^[2]

When SBS 6 was launched, they were in a tough competition with the channel Veronica, which started as a commercial station at the same time. Both SBS 6 and Veronica wanted to be on channel 6 of the viewer's television.

The SBS Broadcasting Group expanded their Dutch channel list with NET 5 on 1 March 1999.^[3] In 2003 Veronica was added to the list of channels.^[4]

The German ProSiebenSat.1 Media took over the parent company, SBS Broadcasting Group, on 27 June 2007.^[5] In 2011, all of SBS's activities in the Netherlands (through SBS Broadcasting B.V.), including the three TV stations (SBS 6, NET 5 and Veronica), the two TV guides (Veronica Magazine and Totaal TV), production, design

SBS 6



SBS 6 logo since 2013

Launched	28 August 1995; 22 years ago
Network	SBS Broadcasting B.V.
Owned by	Talpa Holding
Picture format	576i 16:9 (SDTV) <div>1080i (HDTV)</div>
Audience share	7.8% (2016, ^[1])
Country	Netherlands
Broadcast area	Netherlands
Headquarters	Amsterdam, Netherlands
Sister channel(s)	NET 5 <div>Veronica</div> <div>SBS 9</div>
Website	www.sbs6.nl

Availability

Terrestrial

Digitenne Channel 6 (SD)

Satellite

CanalDigitaal Channel 6 (HD)

Cable

Ziggo Channel 6 (HD)

Channel 930 (SD)

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and text activities were sold to a joint venture between Sanoma Media Netherlands (67%) and Talpa Holding (33%).^[6]

On 10 April 2017 Talpa Holding acquired a 67% stake from Sanoma Media Netherlands.^[7]

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- [Marathon Speedskating](#)

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- Red Bull Air Race
- UEFA Champions League, since season 2015/2016
- World Cup/Europe Cup qualification of the Dutch national [football](#) team (all home and friendly matches)

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External links [[edit](#)]

- Official website ↗

V•T•E	Television in the Netherlands	[hide]
NPO	NPO 1 • NPO 2 • NPO 3 • NPO 101 • NPO Best • NPO Cultura • NPO Nieuws • NPO Politiek • NPO Sport • NPO Zapp Xtra • BVN ^[gl 1]	
RTL	RTL 4 • RTL 5 • RTL 7 • RTL 8 • RTL Z • RTL Crime • RTL Lounge • RTL Telekids	
Talpa	NET 5 ^[gl 2] • SBS 6 ^[gl 2] • TV 538 ^[gl 3] • SBS 9 ^[gl 2] • Veronica ^[gl 2]	
Fox	24Kitchen • BabyTV ^[gl 4] • Fox ^[gl 5] • Fox Sports ^[gl 5] (Fox Sports Eredivisie ^[gl 5] • Fox Sports International ^[gl 5]) • National Geographic • Nat Geo Wild • Sky News ^[gl 4]	
Viacom	Comedy Central • Comedy Central Family ^[gl 6] • Comedy Central Extra • MTV • MTV Brand New • MTV Live HD • MTV Music 24 • Nickelodeon • Nick Jr. • Nick Music • Nick Toons • Spike • VH1 Europe • VH1 Classic Europe	
Discovery	Animal Planet • Discovery • Discovery Science • Discovery World • Eurosport 1 • Eurosport 2 • Investigation Discovery • TLC	
Disney-ABC	Crime & Investigation Network ^[gl 7] • Disney XD • Disney Channel • Disney Junior • History ^[gl 7] • Viceland ^[gl 7]	
AMC	AMC • CBS Reality ^[gl 8] • Extreme Sports Channel • JimJam • Outdoor Channel ^[gl 9] • ShortsTV ^[gl 10]	
Turner	Boomerang • Cartoon Network • CNN International	
Ziggo	Ziggo Sport • Ziggo Sport Totaal (Ziggo Sport Select • Ziggo Sport Voetbal • Ziggo Sport Golf • Ziggo Sport Racing • Ziggo Sport Extra 1 and 2) • Ziggo TV	
NBCUniversal	CNBC Europe • E! • Euronews ^[gl 11]	
Sony	Film1 Premiere • Film1 Action • Film1 Family • Film1 Drama	
Stingray Digital	Stingray Brava • Stingray Djazz • Stingray iConcerts • Stingray Lite TV	
Scripps	Fine Living • Food Network • Travel Channel	

MuziekKiosk	Nashville TV • SchlagerTV • TV Oranje
VRT	één • Canvas • Ketnet
BBC	BBC One • BBC Two • BBC Four • CBBC • Cbeebies • BBC First • BBC Entertainment • BBC World News
ARD/ZDF	Das Erste • ZDF • NDR Fernsehen • WDR Fernsehen
Regional	AT5 • L1 TV • NH • Omroep Brabant TV • Omroep Flevoland TV • Omroep Zeeland TV • Omrop Fryslân TV • RTV Drenthe • RTV Noord • RTV Oost • RTV Rijnmond • RTV Utrecht • TV Gelderland • TV West
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1. [^] ^a a joint venture with VRT
2. [^] ^a ^b ^c ^d through SBS Broadcasting B.V.
3. [^] a joint venture with Telegraaf Media Groep
4. [^] ^a ^b distributed by Fox Networks Group Europe
5. [^] ^a ^b ^c ^d through Eredivisie Media & Marketing CV, a joint venture with Eredivisie CV, Endemol and KNVB
6. [^] a joint venture with Endemol
7. [^] ^a ^b ^c through A&E Networks UK, a joint venture with Sky plc
8. [^] a joint venture with CBS
9. [^] a joint venture with Outdoor Channel Holdings Inc.
10. [^] a joint venture with Shorts International
11. [^] Media Globe Networks (53%), NBCUniversal News Group (25%) and European public broadcasters (22%)

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